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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROSHI NOBUTA ET AL.) : Examiner: M. Wallerson
Application No.: 08/579,733) : Group Art Unit: 2722
Filed: December 28, 1995) :
For: IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE) :
AND METHOD : March 16, 2000

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 16, 1999 to and including March 16, 2000. A check in the amount of \$870.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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